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Tayoka,

Attached is the original letter and accompanying materials received from the Kalispel Tribe on Dec. 6, 2012.

Sarah

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Dear Acting Director Chase:

Please find attached a letter from Deane Osterman, Executive Director of the Kalispel Tribe Natural Resources Department, regarding an important environmental justice issue currently facing the Tribe. Two supporting documents are also attached. I would be happy to send along the documents cited in the 3/13 and 12/5 letters if that would be helpful.

Your confirmation of receipt and prompt response would be greatly appreciated.

Respectfully,

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